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## ABOUT TOWN.

A nice New Year's gift to absent relatives and friends would be a year's subscription to THE DAILY HERALD.

Leading young men of local Mexican society are preparing to give a grand ball on the night of the 31st. at the opera house.

The norther came up, with a whiz about noon today, and it promises to give us a good taste of winter, being quite cold this afternoon.

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Fulgencia Lopez, the well known ranchman, has been suffering for the past two weeks from mental aberration and was taken to the post hospital, where he is reported as very ill, and still wandering in his mind. The unfortunate young man was stricken with loss of reason, on account of worry and distress over the condition of his brother, Dr. Justo Lopez, who was first afflicted similarly to Mr. Lopez some days before. The doctor has improved, but his brother has grown worse. It is sincerely hoped that he may be restored by treatment.

## PURELY PERSONAL.

Capt. Anderson and a private arrived last night by stage.

J. C. White of Baird, Texas, left on the Alice stage this morning.

Wm. A. Neale arrived home last evening for a few days' stay with Mrs. Neale and the children.

Capt. Geo. Stowe has returned to the light house after spending the holidays with his family here.

Mr. Stover left Matamoros Wednesday morning for his home at Columbus, O., after spending several months very pleasantly as the guest of U. S. Consul and Mrs. P. Merrill Griffith in Matamoros.

Jose Maiz, the Monterey banker, who has been here several days on business, left today by the Mexican National from Matamoros, on his return home. He is accompanied by Dr. Justo Lopez, who has been suffering from some mental trouble lately, and who it is hoped may be benefited by the change to Monterey, his former home before he came to Brownsville.

## Death of M. Fernandez.

News has been received by Victoriano Fernandez, sr., of this city, of the death of his only brother, Marcelino Fernandez, at Zacatecas, Mexico, on Dec. 21st. This sad bereavement, coming almost simultaneously with the death of his beloved daughter Elena, who passed from this life on the 23d. instant, is doubly sorrowful for Mr. Fernandez and family. Their many friends sympathize most sincerely with them in their double misfortune.

## Geo. Wm. Miller.

Died, in this city at 4:45 a. m., Dec. 28th, 1900. George William Miller, aged 57 years and eleven months.

For many months deceased was a sufferer from an incurable infirmity, and his demise was not unexpected, though it is none the less deeply felt by family and friends.

George William Miller was born Jan. 29, 1843, in Bangor, Maine. He came to Brownsville in July, 1865, and from that time made his home here. He was employed in the customs service for about fifteen years, and afterwards was elected to the office of justice of the peace which he held for several terms. "Judge" Miller, as he was generally called was one of our best known citizens and his many old friends will miss him from his accustomed place. He was married in Brownsville, March 4, 1871, to Miss Amanda C. Neale, who died Jan. 16, 1879. Four children survive the union; namely: George W. Miller, jr., of Galveston, who has charge of the Vera Cruz cable office there, and who was summoned lately to attend his father, Robert Miller, who is in the government employ in Porto Rico; Mrs. John Scoulan and Miss Lily Miller, both of this city. Deceased also leaves one brother, residing at Tray, N. Y. The bereaved family have the sympathy of numerous friends in their loss.

The funeral will occur this afternoon at four o'clock from the family residence on Adams st., under the auspices of Rio Grande Lodge, No. 81, A. F. & A. M., of which deceased was a member, the service taking place at the Episcopal church.

## Extract from Gen. Reyes' Letter.

In yesterday's HERALD mention was made of a letter from Gen. Reyes, the Mexican minister of war (not of state as erroneously stated) to Dr. Barragan, endorsing the project for building a railroad to connect Matamoros and Monterey. Following is a portion of the said letter, translated and copied as published in the Diario del Hogar, the official government organ of Mexico City, which shows that the project also has official endorsement:

"Dr. M. Barragan, Mexican Consul.

Esteemed Friend:—As an addition to my letter of yesterday, I believe it opportune to inform you that the official organ will publish in a few days the resolution covering the construction of a railroad from Matamoros to Monterey, considering it necessary to the public service, in accordance with the existing railway laws. As a result of the said notice, bids will be received from construction companies interested in said railway, though only bids of companies offering full compliance with the contract and the best guarantee of the fulfillment of the work will be accepted.

(Signed) B. REYES,  
Minister of War.

## Storm Signal.

The Brownsville signal station this morning received the following warning message from the weather bureau:

"Washington, D. C., 8 16 a. m. Dec. 28.—Northwest storm warning, ten thirty p. m., Brownsville, Corpus Christi, Galveston. Winds will shift to northerly by Saturday morning, becoming high with much colder weather during the day."

## Death of C. F. Tilghman.

Died, in this city, at 6:40 a. m., Dec. 28, 1900. Charles Frisby Tilghman, after a brief illness with pneumonia, aged 47 years and 11 months.

The news of the serious illness of deceased only became known two days ago, and was a surprise to his friends, who met him on the street last Monday, apparently in his usual health. The dread disease, pneumonia, did quick and fatal work, and almost from the first there was little hope for his recovery, though medical skill and faithful care did all that was possible to save his life.

Chas. Frisby Tilghman was a native of Brownsville, born Jan. 13, 1853, and spent all his life here. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Tilghman, one of the oldest and best known families of this section. E. S. Tilghman was prominent in the employ of the federal government in Brownsville in early days. The family is one of the oldest in the United States, being descended from the Tilghmans of Revolutionary fame, and traces its genealogy back to ancient noble families of England. The deceased had held various offices of public trust, and at the time of his death held the position of United States commissioner and also of deputy district and circuit clerk. Mr. Tilghman was married Dec. 22, 1880 to Miss Maggie More, who died on March 22, 1882. One daughter was born to them, Miss Maggie Effie Tilghman, who survives to mourn the loss of her father. She has the sympathy of a large circle of friends in her sad bereavement.

The funeral will take place at four o'clock this afternoon from the residence of Geo. More, 13th street, under the auspices of the Knights of Honor lodge, of which he was a member. The service will be read at the Episcopal church, Rev. L. G. Mora officiating.

An exchange remarks: "The newspaper is a lawbook for the indolent, a library for the poor and an admonisher to the lawless. It may stimulate the most indifferent, it may instruct the most profound, but it cannot be published without cost and mailed free to subscribers."

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